#### LEGAL NOTICE

## STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **WEDNESDAY**, **MAY 23, 2001**, upon the application of **J-W OPERATING COMPANY** 

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston Zone**, **Reservoir A**, **Cotton Valley Formation**, **Reservoir A** and the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, **Reservoir A**, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Bossier and Webster Parishes, Louisiana.

- 1. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize two (2) alternate unit wells for HOSS RA SU10 and for CV RA SU10, at the locations shown on the plats submitted with the application or at any legal locations within these units.
- 2. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize three (3) alternate unit wells for CV RA SU26, at the locations shown on the plat submitted with the application or at any legal locations within this unit; with the location for the proposed Andrews 11 No. 2 Well, as shown on the plat submitted with the application being in lieu of the location previously approved for this well by Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B-140, effective February 21, 2001.
- 3. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize three (3) alternate unit wells for HOSS RA SU5 and for CV RA SU5, at the locations shown on the plats submitted with the application or at any legal locations within these units.
- 4. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an alternate unit well for LCV RA SU54, at the locations shown on the plat submitted with the application or at any legal locations within this unit.
- 5. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an alternate unit well for LCV RA SULL, at the locations shown on the plats submitted with the application or at any legal locations within this unit.
- 6. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize three (3) alternate unit wells for LCV RA SUMM, at the locations shown on the plats submitted with the application or at any legal locations within this unit.
- 7. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize two (2) alternate unit wells for HOSS RA SU116 and for LCV RA SUWW, at the locations shown on the plats submitted with the application or at any legal locations within these units.
- 8. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize four (4) alternate unit wells for HOSS RA SU53, CV RA SU59 and for LCV RA SU53, at the locations shown on the plats submitted with the application or at any legal locations within these units.
- 9. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize an alternate unit well for HOSS RA SU107, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application or at any legal location within this unit.

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10. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize six (6) alternate unit wells for LCV RA SU56, at the locations shown on the plat submitted with the application or at any legal locations within this unit.

- 11. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize four (4) alternate unit wells for LCV RA SUR, at the locations shown on the plat submitted with the application or at any legal locations within this unit.
- 12. To approve exceptions to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 361-A-1, effective October 1, 1972 (applicable to the Hosston Zone, Reservoir A), Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B, effective October 1, 1973 (applicable to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A), and Office of Conservation Order No. 361-E, effective July 16, 1996 (applicable to the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A), for any of the proposed wells, the location of which, as shown on the plats submitted with the application does not comply with the well location provisions in said Orders.
- 13. To find that each of the proposed alternate unit wells is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the unit on which it is proposed to be drilled which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well on such unit.
- 14. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Webster and Bossier Parishes, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-A-1, effective October 1, 1972.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Webster and Bossier Parishes, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B, effective October 1, 1973, and Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B-6, effective May 24, 1978.

The Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Webster and Bossier Parishes, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-E, effective July 16, 1996.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

### BY ORDER OF:

# PHILIP N. ASPRODITES COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 5/2/01;5/5/01

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE CONTACT <u>DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES</u>, <u>PERSONNEL SECTION</u> AT P.O. BOX 94396, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9396 IN WRITING OR BY TELEPHONE (225) 342-2134 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.